

SPORT DOINGS

Packy McFarland won a ten-round decision from Eddie Murphy at Kenosha last night by a comfortable margin. Stockyards wonder gave the Boston lad a more decisive trimming than in their last fight at South Bend. Murphy attempted to match McFarland in science, and was wholly at sea. In but one round, the sixth, did he outclass his opponent. In that frame he cut loose a bewildering series of swings, one of his straight lefts landing on McFarland and knocking him six feet. Murphy, however, was unable to follow up his advantage, and McFarland increased his lead in the latter rounds. In the tenth he floored Murphy, but could not deliver a knockout.

In the seventh and tenth rounds Murphy accused McFarland of hitting low, but the referee refused to allow the claim. McFarland, after the battle, said he would rest until after the holidays, when he would go on the trail of Jack Britton. He will have no difficulty in signing if he is sincere, as Britton has been trying to get his fellow Chicagoan into the ring for a year.

Frank Chance has postponed his trip to Chicago for a conference with President Farrell of the Yanks until after Christmas. The doctor who operated on the ex-Cub in New York last fall said he would be able to play ball next season, but it is practically cer-

tain Chance will do the directing from the bench.

Before the opening of the season alterations will be made in the White Sox park that will astonish the natives. The wrecking company which has occupied the Wentworth avenue side of the grounds will be ousted, and probably a new approach will be put in from that direction.

Jack Doyle, ex-big league player and umpire, has been signed as scout for White Sox.

Ty Cobb declares he has not been offered a contract by the Detroit team, but believes there will be no trouble in coming to terms.

Joe Tinker leaves for Cincinnati tonight to sign his contract as manager of the Reds. He will confer with John McGraw in an effort to land Art Shafer, utility infielder of the Giants.

Mayor Baker of Cleveland has held up the permit of a boxing show, and mills may be prevented there in the future. The mayor said he had heard boxing matches were prize fights, in which case permits would be refused.

Frankie Russell bested Tommy Gary of Chicago in New Orleans after ten rounds of terrific mulling. Gary's face was cut by jabs from Russell's left mitt. In the sixth round Gary nearly put Russell out with a right uppercut.

Fred Welsh, English lightweight champ, defended his title in London against Hugh Mehegan, the Australian. Welsh got the decision on points at the end of twenty rounds.